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From: Commander, Naval Air Systems Command

Subj: MISSION, FUNCTIONS, AND TASKS OF THE NAVAL AVIATION

DEPOTS

Ref: (a) OPNAVNOTE 5450 Ser 09B22D/7U308978 of 9 Apr 87

Encl: (1) Functions and Tasks of the Naval Aviation Depots

- 1. <u>Purpose</u>. To issue the functions and tasks to be performed by the Naval Aviation Depots (NAVAVNDEPOT's) under the change in name, delegation of authority, and restatement of mission in reference (a).
- 2. <u>Cancellation</u>. This instruction supersedes NAVAIR Instruction 5451.70C of 18 March 1986.
- 3. <u>Mission</u>. To maintain and operate facilities for and perform a complete range of depot level rework operations on designated weapon systems, accessories, and equipments; manufacture parts and assemblies as required; provide engineering services in the development of changes of hardware design; furnish technical and other professional services on aircraft maintenance and logistics problems; perform, upon specific request or assignment, other levels of aircraft maintenance for eligible activities; and perform other functions as directed by the Commander, Naval Air Systems Command.
- 4. Status and Command Relationships. NAVAVNDEPOT's are shore activities in an active (fully operational) status under Commanding Officers. Primary support responsibility for the NAVAVNDEPOT's is exercised by the Assistant Commander for Logistics and Fleet Support (AIR-04) through the Deputy Assistant Commander for Aviation Depots (AIR-43).

a. <u>Command</u>

Echelon

- 1 Chief of Naval Operations
- 2 Commander, Naval Air Systems Command
- 3 Commanding Officer, Naval Aviation Depot, Alameda, CA



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Area Coordination. Commander in Chief, U.S. Pacific Fleet to be exercised through the Commander, Naval Base, San Francisco, CA.

3 Commanding Officer, Naval Aviation Depot, Marine Corps Air Station, Cherry Point, NC

Area Coordination. Commander in Chief U.S. Atlantic Fleet to be exercised through the Commander, Naval Base, Norfolk, VA.

3 Commanding Officer, Naval Aviation Depot, Naval Air Station, Jacksonville, FL

Area Coordination. Commander in Chief U.S. Atlantic Fleet to be exercised through the Commander, Helicopter Wings Atlantic.

3 Commanding Officer, Naval Aviation Depot, Naval Air Station, Norfolk, VA

Area Coordination. Commander in Chief U.S. Atlantic Fleet, to be exercised through the Commander, Naval Base, Norfolk, VA.

3 Commanding Officer, Naval Aviation Depot, Naval Air Station, Pensacola, FL

 $\underline{\text{Area Coordination}}.\quad \text{Chief of Naval Education and}$ Training.

3 Commanding Officer, Naval Aviation Depot, Naval Air Station, North Island, San Diego, CA

Area Coordination. Commander in Chief U.S. Pacific Fleet, to be exercised through the Commander, Naval Base, San Diego, CA.

5. Overseas Diplomacy. NAVAVNDEPOT's serve as effective instruments of U.S. Foreign Policy by initiating and continuing action programs that promote positive relations between the commands and foreign nationals, and assist individual naval personnel and their families to work effectively, live with dignity and satisfaction, and function as positive representatives of the Navy and of the United States while overseas.

6. <u>Action</u>. In accomplishing the assigned mission, the Commanding Officers, NAVAVNDEPOT's will ensure performance of the functions and tasks set forth in enclosure (1). Send recommended changes via the chain of command to the Commander, Naval Air Systems Command.

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FUNCTIONS AND TASKS OF THE NAVAL AVIATION DEPOTS

- 1. <u>Functions</u>. In accomplishing the assigned mission, the Commanding Officers of the NAVAVNDEPOT's are responsible for the following:
- a. Perform depot maintenance functions for aircraft, engines, missiles, and their components and accessories, and ground support as specified in appropriate aircraft maintenance program directives.
- b. Provide engineering, technical, and professional services in support of rework of specific aircraft, engines, aeronautical components, peculiar ground support equipment (PGSE), trainers and training equipment.
- c. Perform shipwork designated as ship installations equipment with systems with the same priority as aircraft rework.
- d. Serve as a major maintenance, repair, and modification point for assigned missiles.
- e. Provide calibration services as assigned by higher authority.
- f. Peform as NAVAIR Weapon System Support Officer for overall management of the NAVAIR engineering support office, weapon systems management office for assigned weapon systems, and integrated logistics support office.
- g. Perform as a cognizant field activity for assigned aircraft, equipments and PGSE.

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